



First Sergeant Rodney K. Morant entered the United States Army on 9 September 1986 at Hampton Virginia. He trained as an Armored Crewmen Specialist and graduated at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

First Sergeant Morant has served in the following duty positions and organizations: Tank Driver/Loader A CO 1/63 AR BN, FT Carson Colorado, Tank Driver/Loader C CO 1/63 AR BN, Wildflecken Germany; Driver/Gunner/Team leader 411<sup>th</sup> MP CO, Fort Hood Texas; Traffic Accident Investigator, Fort Hood Texas; Special Reactions Team, Fort Hood Texas; Driver for the Deputy Commander III CORP, Fort Hood Texas; Squad Leader/Team Leader, 142 MP CO, Yongsan Korea; Desk Sergeant, 94<sup>th</sup> MP BN, Yongsan Korea; Squad Leader/Team leader 59<sup>th</sup> MP CO, FT Carson Colorado; Team Leader, 984<sup>th</sup> MP CO, FT Carson Colorado; Tank Commander/Gunner/Squad Leader, M Troop 3 SQDN 3 ACR, Fort Carson, Colorado; Tank Commander, 2/63 AR BN, Vilseck, Germany; Mechanized Armored Platoon Sergeant, 2/63 AR BN, Bahquba, Iraq; BOLC III Tactical Instructor/S2/Training room NCOIC, 2 SQDN 16 CAV REGT, FT Knox, Kentucky; Regional Team Leader/Validation Transition Team NCOIC, Kabul, Afghanistan; G3 Future Operations NCO, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii and as the First Sergeant for Operations Company for the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

First Sergeant Morant has attended Senior Leaders Course, Advanced Leaders Course, and Warrior Leaders Course of the Noncommissioned Officers Education System. He is a graduate of the Military Police Course, Battle Staff Course as well as numerous US Army Maneuver/Armor related schools.

First Sergeant Morant has participated in numerous combat operations and operations other than war to include; 1990-91, Desert Shield/Desert Storm, Saudi Arabia; 1992, Humanitarian Aid Haitian refugees, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; 1996, IFOR/SFOR Bosnia-Herzegovina, Operations Joint Endeavour/Task Force Eagle; 2002, KFOR, Balkans; 2004-05, Operation Iraqi Freedom II, Bahquba, Iraq; 2008-09, Operation Enduring Freedom, Kabul, Afghanistan; 2010-11, Operation New Dawn, Baghdad, Iraq.

His awards and decorations include, the Bronze Star with "V" device, the Bronze Star (3 oak leaf clusters), the Meritorious Service Medal (2 oak leaf cluster); the Joint Service Achievement Medal; the Army Commendation Medal (3 oak leaf cluster); the National Defense Service Medal (with bronze star); the Army Good Conduct Medal (7th award); the Army Achievement Medal (9 oak leaf cluster); the NCO Professional Development Ribbon (with numeral 3); the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal; the Armed Forces Service Medal; the Humanitarian Service Medal; the Afghanistan Campaign Medal; The Iraq Campaign Medal; The Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal; The Global War on

Terrorism Medal; Overseas Service Ribbon (with numeral 3); Southwest Asia Service Medal(with 2 bronze stars) the Korean Service Medal; the United Nations Medal; the NATO Ribbon, Kosovo; the Army Service Ribbon; the Saudi Arabian Kuwait Liberation Medal; the Kuwait Liberation Medal; the Army Presidential Unit Citation; the Joint Meritorious Unit Award (with oak leaf cluster); Meritorious Unit Commendation; Combat Action Badge; and the Drivers Badge for Track and wheel vehicles.